



TEST DEFINITION

9/3/2008

MML Name/order code cross-reference

Code	Name
91544	Myositis Antibody Panel

MML MML Test setup information

ORDER CODE	EFF DATE	TC	TITLE	Checking Normals	Print normals (# coded)	Perform Site *
91544	1/23/2008		Myositis Antibody Panel			

UNIT CODE ALWAYS MESSAGE - [Z91544]

MI-2, PL-12, PL-7, EJ, OJ, KU, U2 SNRNP, SRP are tested by immunoprecipitation. Weak positive and positive are determined by band density.

The idiopathic inflammatory myopathies (IIM) are a heterogenous group of disorders characterized by muscle weakness resulting from chronic muscle inflammation of unknown cause. Patients with IIM have a variety of autoantibodies with various clinical utilities. One group of these autoantibodies which is found only in patients with myositis, is known as myositis specific autoantibodies (MSA). The myositis antibodies have been shown to be highly specific for patients with polymyositis, dermatomyositis and overlap.

This test was developed and its performance characteristics validated by RDL Inc. The FDA has determined that approval for these tests is not necessary. This is an analyte specific reagent (ASR) test.

Testing Performed By: RDL Reference Laboratory, Inc.
10755 Venice Boulevard
Los Angeles, CA 90034

Transport temp : Refrig\Frozen OK\Ambient OK

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91544 (continued)

91544	MI-2	NO SEX	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		MALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		FEMALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
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24462	PL-7	NO SEX	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		MALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		FEMALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
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24463	PL-12	NO SEX	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		MALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		FEMALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
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24464	EJ	NO SEX	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		MALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		FEMALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
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24465	OJ	NO SEX	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		MALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		FEMALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
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24466	KU	NO SEX	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		MALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
		FEMALE	
		All Ages :	; Negative
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24468	U2 SN RNP	NO SEX	
		All Ages :	; Negative

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		24468	U2 SN RNP (continued)			
			MALE			
			All Ages :		; Negative	
			FEMALE			
			All Ages :		; Negative	
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		24467	SRP			
			NO SEX			
			All Ages :		; Negative	
			MALE			
			All Ages :		; Negative	
			FEMALE			
			All Ages :		; Negative	
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*Performing Site Legend

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MML CODE	TEXT
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Messages used as normals

Total of 0 normals codes

*** End of Report ***

To obtain test set-up information contact MML Client Support or log on to:
<http://www.mayomedicallaboratories.com/customer-service/set-up/index.html>